



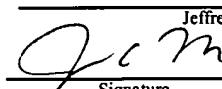
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/591,926
Filed: June 12, 2000
Inventor(s):
Carol A. Lavelle, Joyce Z. Yu
and Eric G. Sultan

Title: DEVICE POWER
MANAGEMENT

Examiner: Yanchus, Paul B.
Group/Art Unit: 2185
Atty. Dkt. No: 5681-71400
P4433

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date indicated below.

Jeffrey C. Hood

Signature 9/19/2003
Date

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF
MARCH 24, 2003**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of March 24, 2003, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.

RECEIVED

SEP 24 2003

Technology Center 2100

10/06/2003 PYOUNG1 00000001 501505 09591926
01 FC:1253 930.00 DA